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LS1. INDIAN POLICY REGARDING PL 480 TITLE II FOOD PROGRAMS WAS RAISED BY THE AMBASSADOR WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTER IN THE COURES OF A MEETING ON OTHER ISSUES HELD ON NOVEMBER 2.

2. THE AMBASSADOR STRESSED OUR NEED FOR A PROMPT STATEMENT OF THE GOI'S POSITION. HE LEFT WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTER A BACKGROUND PAPER WHICH OAFLINED PROBLEM AS FOLLOWS:

A) A RANKING GOI OFFICIAL HAD, IN JANUARY 1973, TOLD THE AID DIRECTOR INFORMALLY OF THE GOI INTENTION TO TERMINATE THE TITIL II PROGRAM AS OF 231/73.

B) THE GOI HAS NONETHELESS, AS REPORTED TO US BY VOLUNTARY AGENCIES, BEEN PLANNING FOR A CONTINUING, ALTHOUGH REDUCED, TITLE II PROGRAM TO EXTEND THROUGH THE FIFTH FIVE-YEAR PLAN.

C) THE USG IS FINDING IT DIFFICULT TO RECONCILE ITEMS A AND B ABOVE, AND MUST DO SO TO PLAN NOW FOR ALLOCATION OF SCARCE FOOD RESOURCES.

3. THE FOREIGN MINISTER INDICATED MATTER WOULD BE LOOKED INTO AND THAT WE WOULD BE ADVISED AT AN EARLY DATE OF THE VLT POSITION.

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